IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 21, 35, 115 and 116 without prejudice and without disclaimer of subject matter.

Please amend Claims 5, 22 and 112 as follows:

5. (Amended) A time-series data display method for displaying accumulated time-series data items, comprising the steps of:

displaying first data items associated with a desired time _in a first size_; and

displaying second data items associated with a time contiguous to said desired time _in a second size different from the first size_ so that _a change of size between the first and second sizes corresponds to_ a temporal direction between said desired time and said contiguous time [is distinguishable].

22. (Amended) An information processing system for displaying accumulated time-series data items, comprising:

a storage means for storing data accumulated in one-to-one correspondence to times; and

a displaying means for displaying data items of a desired time _in a first size_ and data items of a time

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contiguous to said desired time <u>in a second size different</u>

<u>from the first size</u> so that <u>a change of size between the</u>

<u>first and second sizes corresponds to</u> a temporal direction

<u>between</u> said desired time and said contiguous time [is

distinguishable].

112. (Amended) A computer program product

comprising a computer usable medium having computer readable

program code means for displaying accumulated time-series

data items, said computer program product including:

computer readable program code means for displaying

first data items associated with a desired time <u>in a first</u>

<u>size</u> and second data items associated a time contiguous to

said desired time <u>in a second size different from the first</u>

<u>size</u> so that <u>a change of size between the first and second</u>

<u>sizes corresponds to</u> a temporal direction between said

desired time and said contiguous time [is distinguishable].

Please add Claims 129-134 as follows:

--129. A time series data display method according

to claim 5, wherein new data items on the temporal direction

are displayed in relatively large size while old data items

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on the temporal direction are displayed in relatively small size.

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~~130.~~ A time-series data display method according to claim 2, wherein data items on a perimeter of a screen are displayed in relatively large size while data items on a center of the screen are displayed in relatively small size.

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~~131.~~ An information processing system according to claim 20, wherein said display means displays new data items on the temporal direction in relatively large size while displaying old data items on the temporal direction in relatively small size.

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~~132.~~ An information processing system according to claim 20, wherein said display means displays data items on a perimeter of a screen in relatively large size while displaying data items on a center of the screen in relatively small size.

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~~133.~~ A computer program producing according to claim 37, wherein a new data item on the temporal direction is displayed in relatively large size while old data items on

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